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In re Application of	:	
Michael L. SHACKELFORD et al.	:	
Application No. 10/699,622	:	ON PETITION
Filed: October 31, 2003	:	
Attorney Docket No. 1997	:	

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed September 23, 2005, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to reply in a timely manner to the restriction requirement mailed December 17, 2004, which set a shortened statutory period for reply of one (1) month. No extensions of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) were obtained. Accordingly, the above-identified application became abandoned on January 18, 2005.

The petition satisfies the conditions for revival pursuant to the provisions of 37 CFR 1.137(b) in that (1) the reply in the form of an election; (2) the petition fee of \$750; and (3) the required statement of unintentional delay have been received. Accordingly, the reply to the restriction requirement of December 17, 2004 is accepted as having been unintentionally delayed.

Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to David A. Bucci at (571) 272-7099 or in his absence, the undersigned at (571) 272-3217.

The application file is being referred to Technology Center AU 3651 for appropriate action on the concurrently filed election.

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